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End Nodes )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to an Office Action mailed November 6, 2002, with a three month period for response, please amend the above-identified application as follows. In connection with the present amendment, the applicants are simultaneously submitting a petition requesting a two-month extension of time. The request for a two month extension extends the response date from February 6, 2003, to April 6, 2003. In connection with the two month extension a fee in the amount of \$410 is believed to be due. The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the required fee (\$410), to Deposit Account No. 50-2117. The Commissioner is hereby further authorized to charge any additional fees required by the present amendment including fees to cover a deficiency associated with any underpayments, or credit any overpayments to the deposit account.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 21 and 28, as follows:

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